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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Wallace "Wallie" Erickson of Moline, who passed away on April 21, 2018; and

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WHEREAS, Wallie Erickson was born in Moline to John and Olga (Becker) Erickson on March 19, 1920; he served in the United States Army from 1942 to 1945 and married Rosaline Wexell at Cambridge Lutheran Church on April 28, 1957; and

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WHEREAS, Wallie Erickson began his career at First National Bank of Moline in December of 1940; he worked there for 45 years and retired in January of 1986 as a senior vice president; and

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WHEREAS, Wallie Erickson served as the city treasurer for Moline and was a founding member and served on committees for the Quad-City Chapter of the American Liver Foundation; he was a volunteer at Trinity Hospital in Moline, serving close to 4,500 hours; and

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WHEREAS, Wallie Erickson was a member of Thor Lodge 9 Independent Order of Vikings; he was a member of First Lutheran Church of Moline, where he was very active and involved with all aspects of the church, including serving as Sunday school

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1 teacher, Boy Scout leader, council member, choir member, and
2 Memorial Fund Treasurer; he was involved with the Eastern
3 Chapter Polka Club of Iowa, Junior Achievement, the Moline
4 Exchange Club, and the Moline American Legion Post 246; he
5 enjoyed fishing, golfing, and trips to Graves Lake in Remer,
6 Minnesota for over 70 years; he enjoyed spending time with his
7 family and spending time outdoors; and

8 WHEREAS, Wallie Erickson is survived by his wife, Rosaline;
9 his children, Karen (Terry) Thomasson, Joel (Mary) Erickson,
10 and Kris (Brian) Keller; eight grandchildren; and two
11 great-grandchildren; therefore, be it

12 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
13 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
14 Wallace "Wallie" Erickson, and extend our sincere condolences
15 to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be
16 it further

17 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
18 presented to the family of Wallie Erickson as an expression of
19 our deepest sympathy.